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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/692,446	Applicant(s) JIN ET AL.
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Date of Interview: 25 July 2007.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant
2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes
If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: 1 and 8.

Identification of prior art discussed: Higurashi in view of Yamauchi.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

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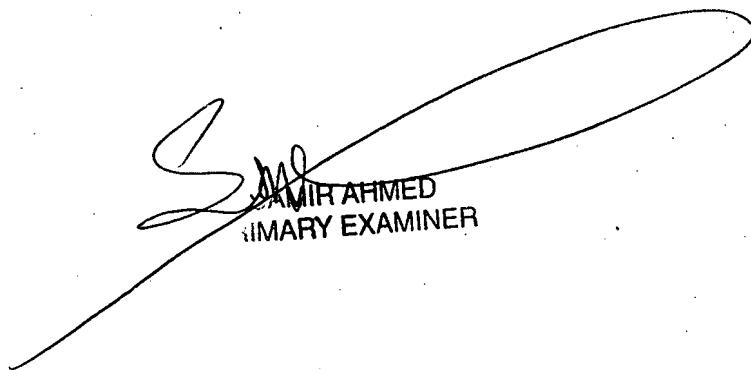
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Interview Summary Attached Sheet

- Attorney wanted to clarify the invention in claim 1 and distinguish the invention from the references Higurashi in view of Yamaguchi. Attorney states the motivation for rotation the combined image in the claimed invention is to save space in memory, which was not disclosed in the references. Also, the references do not teach rotating the combined image back to the original orientation.
- Attorney also proposed further limiting independent claim 8 by adding steps for color mapping the overlapped regions.
- Attorney will file a RCE for further consideration of the claimed invention.



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